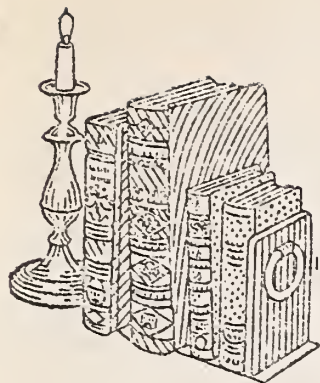


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ANNOUNCING A NEW SERVICE

WHAT IT IS

It is a Packet Service designed to get the new bulletins on subjects of special interest to U.S.D.A. employees to them immediately upon receipt in the library.

At the present time packets are being circulated on the following subjects:

IRRIGATION

RANGE AND PASTURE

SOILS AND FERTILIZERS

WEED CONTROL

This is your service so let us know what your subject interests are. Here are some additional suggestions:

LIVESTOCK FEEDING

THE HOME AND GARDEN

FOOD AND NUTRITION

WHAT WE DO

We check current bibliographies and bulletin lists in current periodicals and request titles pertinent to the work of the Department of Agriculture in this region.

When these bulletins are received packets are assembled. Each packet consists of six publications and is circulated on a routing slip, in the same way current periodicals are circulated, to individuals requesting the service.

The number of packets prepared on any subject is dependent upon the bulletin material available. In some cases there will be one or two packets each month, in other cases one each quarter.

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WHAT YOU DO

Let us know if you wish to receive this service and the subjects you are interested in.

Read the material as soon as it comes to your desk and forward the packet to the next reader within seven days of the date of receipt.

If some of the items are of particular interest and you need them longer request these titles on loan from the library - use Library Request Form AD-245 - and we will send a copy for a regular loan period of three weeks. If you want any of the titles for your files request these from your Information Division or from the publisher - not from the library.

The important thing is to keep the packets moving so that everyone will have an opportunity to see the bulletins while they are current.

The contents of some of the packets now in circulation are listed below.

RANGE AND PASTURE PACKET

Important grasses on Montana Ranges. Mont. Agr. Exp. Sta. Bul. 470
Irrigated pasture management study for the year 1950 - Sonoma County.
Calif. Ext. Serv.
Irrigated pastures in New Mexico. N. M. Agr. Exp. Sta. Bul. 362
Silage for the dairy herd. Texas Ext. Bul. 186
Supplying phosphorus to range cattle through the fertilization of range
land. Texas Agr. Exp. Sta. Prog. Rpt. 1341
Terraces on grassland. Okla. Agr. Exp. Sta. Bul. B-373

IRRIGATION PACKET

Border irrigation. U.S.D.A. Leaflet 297
Irrigated agriculture in Texas. Texas Agr. Exp. Sta. Mis. Pub. 59
Irrigated crop rotations on the clay soils of western South Dakota. S. D.
Agr. Exp. Sta. Circ. 83
Irrigation wells and well drilling. Calif. Agr. Exp. Sta. Circ. 404
Management of irrigation and drainage enterprises in Utah. Utah Agr.
Exp. Sta. Bul. 349
Water - life for the land! Wyo. Agr. Exp. Sta. Circ. 39

SOILS AND FERTILIZERS PACKET

Anhydrous ammonia - a good nitrogen fertilizer. Neb. Ext. Circ. E.C. 193
An economic appraisal of anhydrous ammonia as a nitrogenous fertilizer.
Miss. Agr. Exp. Sta. Circ. 152
Six long strides to better sandy soils. Wisc. Ext. Serv. Spec. Circ.
The use of fertilizer in Oklahoma. Okla. Agr. Ext. Circ. 553
What is liquid fertilizer? Neb. Ext. Circ. E. C. 195
Which nitrogen fertilizer shall I use? Neb. Ext. Circ. E. C. 194

WEED CONTROL PACKET

The effects of 2,4-D on bitterweed seed formation and germination. Texas
Agr. Exp. Sta. Prog. Rpt. 1279
Halogeton - a new stock-poisoning weed. Colo. Agr. Ext. Serv. Circ.
170-A
How to control southern upland hardwoods with ammate. U. S. Southern
Forest Exp. Sta.

WEED CONTROL PACKET (Cont.)

- St. Johnswort on western ranges (A review of literature and bibliography).
U. S. Northern Rocky Mountain Forest & Range Exp. Sta. Station
paper No. 26
- Weed control by growth-regulating substances. FAO Agricultural Studies
No. 13
- Weed spraying equipment. Oregon Agr. Exp. Sta. Bul. 493

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A DOZEN BOOKS FROM OUR SHELVES ABOUT THE WEST

CAMP-FIRES ON DESERT AND LAVA, By W. T. Hornaday. 1908. 366 p. 125 H78

An account of "a strange, weird, and also beautiful country"-- Southern Arizona at the turn of the century.

CATTLE, HORSES AND MEN OF THE WESTERN RANGE, By J. H. Culley. 1940. 337 p.
43 C394

A history of the range cattle business in the latter half of the 19th Century. The author was a personal friend of many of the men who made the history of the Western range.

A COUNTRY OF SHEPHERDS, By J. D. Verplanck. 1934. 63 p. 135 V59

This little book is a photographic account of the Navajo country - the land and its people.

COW COUNTRY, By E. E. Dale. 1942. 265 p. 43 D15c

A collection of articles on the various aspects of ranching in the Great West.

DESERT SAINTS - THE MORMON FRONTIER IN UTAH, By Nels Anderson. 1942. 549 p.
138 An22

A history of the hardy pioneers of Utah.

FORGOTTEN PEOPLE - A STUDY OF NEW MEXICANS, By G. I. Sanchez. 1940. 98 p.
280.059 Sa5

An interpretive study of the Spanish-speaking people of New Mexico.

IF THE PROSPECT PLEASES - THE WEST THE GUIDEBOOKS NEVER MENTION, By Ladd Heystead.
1945. 208 p. 280.003 H33

The farm editor of Fortune magazine writes candidly of the West - its people, and customs, its past and future.

MAN AND RESOURCES IN THE MIDDLE RIO GRANDE VALLEY, By A. G. Harper. 1943. 156 p.
280.059 H23

A candid discussion of the social and economic problems of the Middle Rio Grande Valley.

PERSONAL NARRATIVE OF EXPLORATIONS AND INCIDENTS IN TEXAS, NEW MEXICO, CALIFORNIA, SONORA AND CHIHUAHUA, By J. R. Bartlett. 1854. 2 vol. 125 B28

A contemporary account of the botany, zoology, geology, and people of the West during the middle of the 19th Century.

RIVER OF THE SUN, By Ross Calvin. 1946. 153 p. 138 C132

"Stories of the storied Gila"

THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS, By W. W. Atwood. 1945. 324 p. 125 At9

A popular history of the building of a mountain range and the people of the Rockies - the Indians, the pioneers, the miners, the cowhands and the ranchmen.

THIS IS THE PLACE: UTAH, By Maurine Whipple. 1945. 222 p. 125 W57

An introduction to present day Utah - the people and the country.

NEW BULLETINS

CROPS

BRYANT, M. D. and LYERLY, F. J. Tomato variety trials in the El Paso Valley, 1950. Texas Agr. Exp. Sta. Prog. Rpt. 1365, 3 p. 1951. 100 T31Pr

BUCKINGHAM, M. and POTTS, R. C. Crops for silage and forage at Mt. Pleasant, 1950. Texas Agr. Exp. Sta. Prog. Rpt. 1344, 1 p. 1951. 100 T31Pr

HARVEY, C. and POTTS, R. C. Crimson clover variety test on Lufkin fine sandy loam at College Station, 1949-50. Texas Agr. Exp. Sta. Prog. Rpt. 1295, 1 p. 100 T31Pr

QUINBY, J. R. and VAN HORN, D. L. Castor Beans as a crop in the northern rolling plains area. Texas Agr. Exp. Sta. Prog. Rpt. 1354, 2 p. 1951. 100 T31Pr

REYNOLDS, E. B. and ROBERTS, J. E. The effect of legumes and nitrogen on the yields of cotton and corn on Lufkin fine sandy loam at College Station. Texas Agr. Exp. Sta. Prog. Rpt. 1293, 2 p. 1950. 100 T31Pr

ENTOMOLOGY

CONTROL OF LICE AND SHEEP TICKS ON SHEEP AND GOATS. U.S.D.A. Leaflet No. 308, 11 p. 1951. 1 Ag84L

KNOWLTON, G. F. and SORENSON, C. J. Utah Agricultural Experiment Station recommendations for insect control on seed alfalfa - 1951. Utah Ext. Serv. M.S. 63, 1 p. 1951. 275.29 UtlMim

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